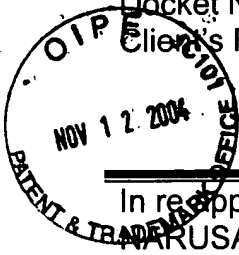


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In accordance with Rule 136, Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time extending to November 8, 2004, the first business day after the due date of Saturday, November 6, 2004, the period for response to the Office Action dated May 6, 2004. A check for \$980 and the responsive paper(s) are enclosed herewith.

Please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-1805. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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